

**PATENT**

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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.111**

Sir:

In reply to the non-final office action dated August 7, 2006, applicants request reconsideration based on the instant amendment and reply.

Type of Response: Amendment

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